

NAME: _____ PERIOD: _____ DATE: _____

ADVANCED PLACEMENT DBQ HISTORY RUBRIC

BASIC CORE		EXPANDED CORE	
	Points		Points
1) Has an acceptable thesis.	1	<p>Expanded beyond the basic core of 1 to 7 points. A student <u>MUST</u> earn seven points in the basic core area <u>BEFORE</u> earning points from the expanded core area. Students may earn from 0 to 2 points by doing any of the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Has a clear, analytical and comprehensive thesis. ● Uses all documents. ● Uses documents persuasively as evidence. ● Shows careful, insightful analysis of the documents. ● Analyzes bias or point of view in most or all documents. ● Analyzes documents in additional ways – groupings, comparisons, syntheses. ● Brings in relevant “outside” historical content. ● Explains why additional documents or types of sources are needed. 	0-2
2) Understands the basic meaning of documents. Uses all but may misinterpret one.	1		
3) Supports thesis with appropriate evidence from all or all but one of the documents. (Supports thesis with appropriate evidence from all but two of the documents.)	2 (1)		
4) Analyzes point of view in at least three documents.	1		
5) Analyzes documents by grouping them in three ways depending on the prompt.	1		
6) Identifies and explains the need for three types of additional document or source.	1		
SUBTOTAL	7		2
ADDITIONAL COMMENTS			
			9
GRADES: 9=97, 8=92, 7=87, 6=82, 5=77, 4=72, 3=67, 2=62, 1=57, 0=50			